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In re Patent Application of:  
Andrew A. Welcher et al.

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For: CD20/IgE-RECEPTOR LIKE MOLECULES  
AND USES THEREOF

Examiner: P. M. Mertz

**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action dated March 14, 2005 (hereinafter, the "Office Action"). Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims:** there are no amendments to the claims, as reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification:** None.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.